The details of financial assistance sanctioned/released for tourism related projects to the Government of Himachal Pradesh during the years 2004-05 and 2005-06 are as under.;—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of Project	Amount Sanctioned	Amount Released
	2004-05		
1.	Restoration & Revitalization of Heritage Hotel Castle Nagar (District Kullu) and Place Hotel Chail (District Chail)	500.00	400.00
2.	Integrated Development of Tourist Circuit, Shimla	800.00	640.00
3.	Development of Kangra Circuit	800.00	640.00
4.	Development of Sirmour as Tourist Destination	500.00	400.00
5.	GOI-UNDP Endogenous Tourism Project at village Naggar in Kullu District	20.00	16.00
6.	Upgradation of Website, production of CD-ROMS and VCDs	20.00	16.00
7.	Kullu Dussehra, 2004	5.00	5.00
8.	Shimla Summer Festival, 2004	5.00	5.00
9.	Tourism Conclave, 2004 at Shimla	15.00	15.00
10.	Paragliding Pre-World Cup, 2004 at Bir Billing in Kangra Valley	15.00	15.00
	2005-06		
1.	Construction of Tourist Reception Centre at Chauri Bihal, Manali.	30.24	24.00
2.	Paragliding Pre-World Cup, 2005 at Bir Billing in Kangra Valley	15.00	12.00

(d) Execution of the projects sanctioned under various schemes of the Ministry of Tourism is the responsibility of the State Governments/ UTs.

Development of tourism centres in Karnataka

2255. SHRI JANARDHANA POOJARY: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Government of Karnataka has requested for financial assistance for the development of tourism centres in all districts of the State, including providing of resting points on the National Highways;

(b) if so, the details in this regard; and

(c) the Centre's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SHRIMATI RENUKA CHOWDHURY): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Government of Karnataka had submitted the proposals for the development of tourism centres in all districts at an estimated cost of Rs. 611.00 crores.

(c) The following projects have been prioritized in consultation with the Government of Karnataka for grant of central financial assistance during 2005-06:

(1) Destination development of Jog Falls

(2) Destination development of Mysore

(3) Bidar-Gulbarga-Bijapur-Pattadakkal tourist circuit

(4) Mangalore-Udippi-Kollur-Mohakmbakka tourist circuit

(5) Bangalore Habba Event

(6) Hampi festival

(7) Karavali Festival

The project proposals that were, complete in all respect, as per guidelies were processed on inter-se-priority basis. The following projects have been sanctioned so far:

(i) Destination development of Jog Falls in Shimoga for Rs. 482.52 lakhs

(ii) Destination development of Mysore for Rs. 332.71 lakhs

(iii) Development of Golf Club at Chikmagalur under Large Revenue Generating scheme for Rs. 120.00 lakhs.

Night Bazar at Hyderabad

2256. SHRIMATI N. P. DURGA: Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) the details of tourists visited various States during the last two years, year-wise and State-wise;

(b) whether it is a fact that Government propose to set up Night Bazar at Hyderabad;